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SUBJECT: NON-TARIFF MEASURES- CANADIAN INTEREST IN US COPYRIGHT  
LAW REVISION

1. IN QR CONSULTATIONS WITH CANADA HELD IN OCTOBER 1975,  
THE CANADIANS EXPRESSED GREAT INTEREST IN THE MANUFACTURING  
CLAUSE OF THE US COPYRIGHT LAW, CITING IT AS A MAJOR NON-  
TARIFF BARRIER. FROM SOURCES IN CANADIAN MTN DELGATION WE  
UNDERSTAND THAT RECENTLY PASSED LEGISLATION REVISING THE US  
COPYRIGHT LAW CONTAINS A PROVISION EXEMPTING CANADA FROM  
THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE MANUFACTURING CLAUSE, AND THAT THE  
CLAUSE ITSELF WOULD BE GRADUALLY PHASED OUT. WOULD APPRE-  
CIATE RECEIVING DETAILS OF NEW LAW AS IT RELATES TO THE  
MANUFACTURING CLAUSE.

2. CANADIAN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE OFFICIAL VISITING GENEVA  
FOR ANTI-DUMPING MEETING COMMENTED TO US MTN MEMBER  
THAT "TORONTO" AGREEMENT (WHICH DEALT WITH EXEMPTION FOR  
CANADA FROM MANUFACTURING CLAUSE) WAS AN INDUSTRY-TO-IN-  
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DUSTRY AGREEMENT, AND MIGHT NOT BE CONSIDERED BINDING

ON THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT. CAN WASHINGTON PROVIDE MORE  
INFORMATION ON TERMS OF THIS INDUSTRY AGREEMENT, IN  
PARTICULAR, ANY CANADIAN COMMITMENT TO JOIN THE FLORENCE  
CONVENTION.WALKER

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